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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECTS: SUEZ CANAL PORT AIRPORTS

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1. US EMBASSY CONTACTED MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION OFFICIALS ON JUNE 25 IN REFERENCE REFTEL, AND LEARNED THE FOLLOWING. THERE ARE LONG RANGE PLANS TO BUILD AIRPORTS AT SUEZ CITY, ISMAILIA AND PERHAPS PORT SAID. MINISTRY OFFICIAL STATED THAT IN TERMS OF MINISTRY'S PRIORITIES, THESE AIRPORTS FAIRLY FAR DOWN ON LIST. MAJOR EMPHASIS WILL BE GIVEN TO FOLLOWING PROJECTS IN THIS ORDER:

A. REHABILITATION CAIRO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT.
B. DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF NEW AIRPORT AT ALEXANDRIA TO BE LOCATED TO WEST OF CITY.
C. IMPROVEMENT OF AVIONICS, PASSENGER HANDLING FACILITIES AT LUXOR AND ASWAN.

2. EMBASSY WILL BE ALERT TO ANY CHANGES IN THESE PRIORITIES AND WILL ADVISE.
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